GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

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VACANT POSTS OF MEMBERS OF NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR BACKWARD CLASSES
Mehta Shri Alok Kumar

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Commission for Backward Classes is consist of only four members out of which two posts are lying vacant for the last several months;

(b) if so, whether the functioning of the Commission is being affected due to these vacant posts; and

(c) if so, the reaction of the Government for filling up of these vacant posts?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) The National Commission for Backward Classes (NCBC) consists of five Members including Chairperson and Member-Secretary. Presently, four Members are in position.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.